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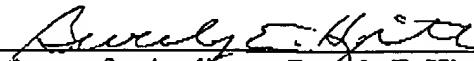
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**Docket No.: CNTR-105XX**

Sir:

In re application of: Steven Wang

Entitled: **TRAY MOUNTED CURSOR CONTROL INPUT DEVICE FOR INTEGRATION  
 WITH COMPUTER KEYBOARD**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

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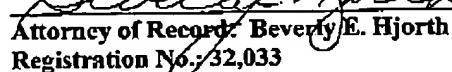
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 17, 2003, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-11, drawn to an optical sensor.

Previously presented claim 48 and new claims 50-61 are believed properly includable in Group I also.

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Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

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